

Vision

Connected, growing, strong, justice-seeking congregations in the Joseph Priestley District.

Mission

The mission of the Joseph Priestley District is to develop and strengthen a community of healthy congregations striving for diversity of theology and culture, deepening our sense of mutual accountability to each other and the movement.

Recognizing the Unitarian Universalist Association ENDS, we adopt the following Joseph Priestley District ENDS, which we believe to be consistent and complementary.

I. Global Ends Policy

The Joseph Priestley District (JPD) of the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA) exists to connect, grow, and strengthen our congregations at a cost within the resources available to the JPD.

In order of priority,

II. The District Executive promotes healthy congregations by:

- A. Fostering and deepening connections among congregations and between congregations and the district, region, and continental UUA;
- B. Supporting the growth of existing congregations and the development of new congregations in underserved areas;
- C. Engaging, inspiring, and developing lay leaders, including youth and young adults, our future leaders;
- D. Encouraging and supporting their social justice work.

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